

1 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
2 FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
3 JEFFREY PRIETO, No. C 10-04074 SBA (PR)  
4 Petitioner,  
5 v.  
6 R. GROUNDS, Warden,  
7 Respondent.

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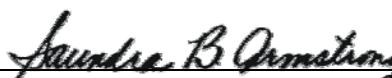
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9 Before the Court is Respondent's motion to withdraw his Answer filed on March 29, 2011.  
10 Respondent claims that he was not served with the Court's February 11, 2011 Order denying the  
11 petition for a writ of habeas corpus because he had not yet appeared in the case when that Order was  
12 issued. Thus, the February 11, 2011 Order makes Respondent's Answer unnecessary, and  
13 Respondent therefore moves to withdraw it.

14 Because this case is closed pursuant to the Court's February 11, 2011 Order denying the  
15 petition, the Court GRANTS Respondent's motion to withdraw his answer (docket no. 8).

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17 This Order terminates Docket no. 8.

18 IT IS SO ORDERED.

19 DATED: 11/16/11

  
20 SAUNDRA BROWN ARMSTRONG  
21 United States District Judge

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28 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

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7 Defendant.

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8 **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

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10 I, the undersigned, hereby certify that I am an employee in the Office of the Clerk, U.S. District  
11 Court, Northern District of California.

12 That on November 18, 2011, I SERVED a true and correct copy(ies) of the attached, by placing said  
13 copy(ies) in a postage paid envelope addressed to the person(s) hereinafter listed, by depositing said  
14 envelope in the U.S. Mail, or by placing said copy(ies) into an inter-office delivery receptacle  
located in the Clerk's office.

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21 Dated: November 18, 2011

Richard W. Wiking, Clerk  
By: LISA R CLARK, Deputy Clerk